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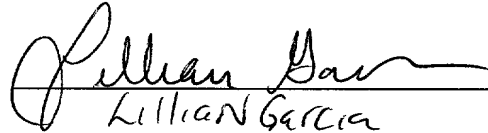


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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing are the
[X] specification; [X] claims; [X] abstract; [X] unexecuted
declaration; [X] Nonpublication Request, for the above-
identified patent application.

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[X] 37 sheets of:

[] Formal drawings.

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- [X] This application is being filed unaccompanied by a filing fee. The appropriate filing fee will be paid in response to a Notice to File Missing Parts, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f).
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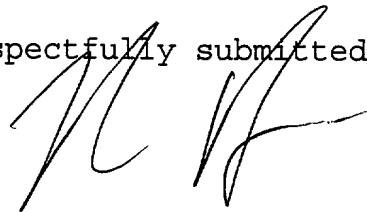
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NONPUBLICATION REQUEST
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.213(a)

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.213(a), applicants hereby request that the above-identified patent application, which is being filed concurrently herewith, not be published under 35 U.S.C. § 122(b). It is hereby certified that the invention disclosed in the application has not been and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

Respectfully submitted,



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